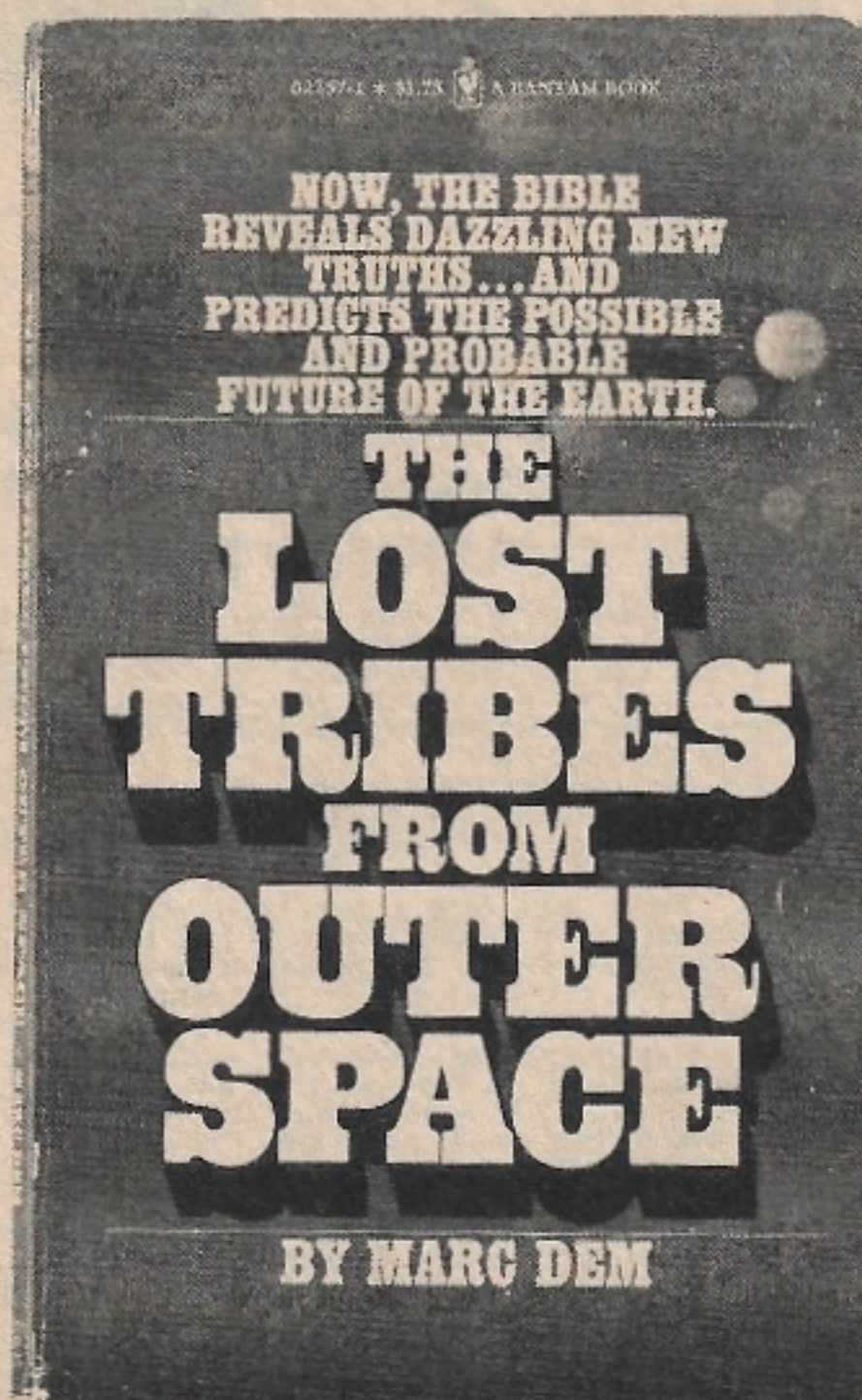


UFO Book Scan



The Lost Tribes From Outer Space
by Marc Dem, \$1.75, Bantam Books.

Although there has been a rash of books in recent years that attempted to find clues in the Bible that suggested visits by ancient astronauts, this is probably the most detailed discourse on the subject yet published.

What makes the Bible such an enduring book? Unlike other ancient texts, "the Bible has been a prodigious bestseller ever since the invention of printing . . . it has continuously been in circulation ever since it was written . . . The Bible has not been buried and then exhumed, coded and then decoded. It passed from parchment to parchment after having been transmitted orally since remote times. Dead civilizations have nothing equivalent to it.

"What prodigious force was able to achieve that result? . . . Why is it that this ancient message, floating on the sea of time, has reached us and is still sailing briskly along? How has such an old book succeeded in remaining so fresh and timely? By what miracle does it attract the blasé public of our time, in the midst of the indifference into which religions have sunk?

"And what does that book speak of, when we examine it closely? It deals with the creation of the world, the Deluge, and the peopling of the planet earth, and that necessarily concerns everyone. But those stories take up only the first 11 chapters of Genesis. After that, the whole voluminous work is devoted to the history of the little Jewish people; their conflicts with their neighbors, their slow settlement of a tiny country. . . . There were thousands of wandering tribes like that one; nomads migrated by the millions in historical times and before. Thousands of little states came into being and vanished; some left traces of themselves only in scholarly libraries, others have faded entirely from human memory.

"What special feature has made the history of the tribes of Israel remain in the limelight so long? The story of the creation of the world and the development of mankind before Abraham represents one percent of the Old Testament; is that enough to explain why the

whole book has survived intact?"

Before answering this, the author poses a few questions—he calls them "enigmas"—and they concern the Jewish people:

" . . . all forms of oppression have been used against the Jews: massacre, torture, selective laws, economic persecutions, expulsion, refusal to let them leave a country where violence was being inflicted on them, segregation in ghettos, religious pressure (obligation to embrace a faith that was not theirs), destruction of their sacred books and places of worship, deportation, degrading measures, distinctive emblems, and other humiliations. . . .

"And here is our first enigma: *Why have the Jews been hated, despised, and persecuted for thousands of years?*"

Dem's second "enigma" is: "What are the Jews?" From an anthropological point of view, "they are not and never have been a race," according to Henri V. Vallois, former director of the Museum of Man in Paris.

"The Jews are not a nation, either: the state of Israel contains only part of them. Those who remain scattered all over the world are not Israelis abroad. They maintain allegiance to the countries in which they have citizenship.

"Nor a religion: there are many atheistic Jews, in Israel and elsewhere.

"We must accept the obvious, considering only the facts: the quality of Jewishness is indefinable. And it does not correspond to any kind of common behavior, despite the character traits that are often considered to be specifically Jewish. Yet that quality causes a deep cleavage in our human race. There are Jews and there are others."

The author hastens to add, at this point, that his book " . . . is not a sociological study. Nor is it designed to cultivate, with the ulterior motive of either stirring up or quelling anti-Semitic hatred, the difference I have just pointed out. The preceding observations are meant only to give a specific background to this formulation of our second enigma:

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The UFO-related atrocities began extending into California and Nevada; the latter as recently as the fall of 1976. The uneasy agreement between local law enforcement officials and the press to avoid further panic was illustrated by the attempts of one *Times-Press* reporter to get more details in the October mutilations near Streator, Ill.

"No information is to be given out," said the LaSalle County Sheriff's Department.

The examining veterinarian would only comment that "it was kind of an unpleasant thing." The specifics were only described as "gross."

In all states involved, ranchers are being urged to immediately report dead cattle to their local authorities so testing can be done before decomposition and predators destroy what might be evidential. This writer would also like to urge cattlemen to reveal all of the details surrounding the mutilations, however out-of-the ordinary they may appear.

Not long ago, a frightened rancher timidly mentioned the following to Greg Mastel, an independent researcher investigating all phases of the Montana phenomena. He said the day prior to

the mutilation on his ranch, an orange-red ball of light zipped around and, in a mechanical, buzzing voice announced that a mutilation would occur the following day. The rancher, whether out of fear or annoyance, made a grab for the light. While feeling no heat, there was immediate pain. His hand was severely burned and the swelling was still prominent when Mastel interviewed him.

What might be learned if everything were out in the open? Have we unwittingly endorsed something by chemical, biological, or radiation weapons testing on livestock which in terms of alien thinking gives them carte blanche to our "experimental" animals? Certainly federal authorities are aware of what's happening. Why the ominous, deliberate silence? Is it because there's nothing they can do?

Will it stop with just the livestock? ★

(1) Montana source material was taken from official Cascade County Sheriff's Department data which has been compiled into the book, *Mystery Stalks The Prairie* by Roberta Donovan and Keith Wolverton. An excellent presentation of the ambiguities of the mutilation subject, it is highly recommended for interested readers and researchers. Available from T.H.A.R. Institute, Raynesford, Montana 59469.

BOOK SCAN

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"No one knows what Jews are, yet they exist."

Where does all this lead? To YHWH (or Yahweh, the Jehova of Christian translations), God of Genesis, an extraterrestrial being who created man to colonize the planet!

"On the earth created by God, a space traveler implanted a breeding stock to be the origin of his people, a distinct, chosen people, 'the prince of Peoples,' who were given special attention by that powerful being from elsewhere. The Jews are not of this earth, and that is why they have always been oppressed by other peoples; their oppression is like the process of rejection that sometimes occurs in organ transplants. The Bible is not simply the story of one little people among others; the intense life that emanates from it, and has forced men's attention for thousands of years, comes from the hidden message it contains. I will try to throw some light on that message. What is a Jew? The product of a selective process carried out through the ages. . . .

"The Jews come from space, and they will return there."

An outrageous, preposterous, wild assumption? Maybe.

Dem turns to the Bible for source material to support his theory, and is

impressively analytical. Citing book, chapter, and verse, he covers the appearance of YHWH's spacecraft in orbit around earth and its effects on nature (Isaiah 8:7), the (radiation?) dangers to humans if they come too close to the landed craft (Exodus 19:12), the exotic and devastating weapons at YHWH's disposal and how they were employed to aid the embattled Hebrews (Isaiah 30:27 and 33:9), the sophisticated genetic manipulation used to create the "test-tube Jew" (Genesis 4:1), the deliberate scrubbing of the first experiment—the Deluge, the "sign" YHWH used to identify his people (Genesis 17:10-13), and many other passages in the Bible that the author says should be read and interpreted utilizing today's advanced knowledge of space travel, laboratory experimentation with genes, and the awesome weapons presently within man's reach.

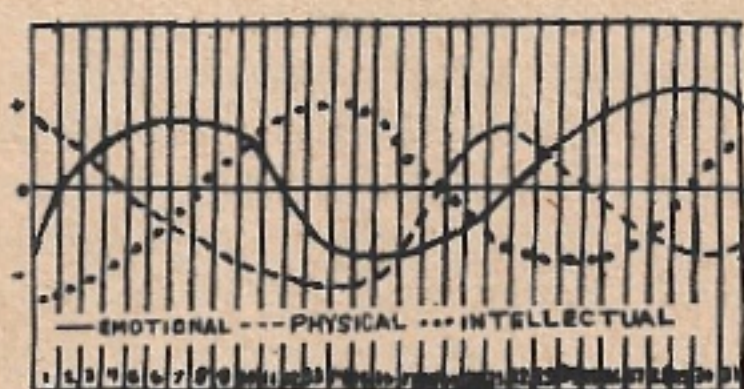
One of the most astounding observations in *The Lost Tribes From Outer Space* is presented in Chapter 20:

"The Jews come from space, and they will return there. (emphasis added.) As we have seen, the earth has been a test tube for YHWH since the failure of his initial plan. One does not make something in a test tube and then leave it there.

"Someday YHWH will come back. Not discreetly, as he has done several times in the course of history from the end of the Hebrews' wandering in the desert to our own period, observing the

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development of the planet and changing the course of events when he sees fit. He will come back openly, in all his radiance; precautions will then have become useless.

"Blow the trumpet in Zion, sound the alarm upon my holy hill; let all that live in the land tremble, for the day of the Lord has come."

"All of Jewish history, with its mysteries, paradoxes, and unparalleled durability, rests on the pact made between the extraterrestrial and his people, a pact that can be expressed as follows: 'You are exiles on this planet; I brought you here at the beginning of your history, and I will return for you when the time has come to take you to the real land I hold in store for you. You are hated, persecuted, and despised by the nations. But you are superior to your persecutors because they will disappear in fire and brimstone while you will live and be exalted. Follow my way to the end, and I will fulfill my promises.'"

How imminent is this arrival, which Dem labels "Operation Dead Planet"? Many psychics have been predicting that cataclysmic events will sweep Earth in the near future. Some think it will happen no later than the turn of the century—23 years from now. According to the author, it's possible that the

world's leaders may already know! Dem claims that the answer is in writing:

"Behind the white walls of the Carmelite convent at Coimbra, Portugal, may be hidden one of the few people to whom the near future of the planet earth is known. Sister Lucia, a small, 67-year-old nun, is the only survivor of the three young shepherds to whom the angel of YHWH appeared one day in 1917. (Editor's note: The Miracle of Fatima.)

"...I cannot believe that the (vision) appeared in all its glory to urge three little shepherds to be sure to say their rosaries. Beneath the words that were transmitted, the real recipients of the message had to recognize its meaning.

"The curious destiny of the Fatima secret is well known. Sister Lucia refused to repeat it to anyone. One day she wrote it down and sent it in a sealed envelope to the bishop of her diocese with instructions not to open it till 1960, in accordance with the order of the 'lady' herself. When the time came, the bishop sent the envelope to the pope reigning at the time, John XXIII. But after reading what it contained, the pope decided not to divulge it.

"The popes, as I have said, must have known. Benedict V, who was reigning in 1917, showed his approval of the cult of Our Lady of Fatima from

the start. As for Pius XII, it cannot be thought that he did not know the secret hidden in Sister Lucia's envelope, since the same celestial agent reconstituted the 'solar miracle' of October 13 for him in the gardens of the Vatican, probably in the form of extrasensory visions. And finally, Paul VI, who went to Fatima in 1967, is thought to have transmitted the secret to the governments of London, Washington, and Moscow 'to make them aware of the steep slope down which the world was moving as the result of nuclear interventions!

"But which steep slope was involved? The one that may lead mankind to self-destruction, or the one that will provoke a finishing touch given by an extraterrestrial jealous of his prerogatives?"

Traditional students of the Bible, especially those who broach no fanciful interpretations of the scriptures, may find *The Lost Tribes From Outer Space* a tough book to accept. However, those readers with a little knowledge of the UFO phenomenon will find Marc Dem's insight and "decoding" of many vague passages fascinating. It's a delight to read because it confirms that many ufologists have contended for years—that the bestseller of all time may be the most meaningful *history* book ever written.